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New U.S. Patent Application
Title: SILVER HALIDE EMULSION, PREPARATION METHOD
THEREOF AND SILVER HALIDE PHOTOGRAPHIC MATERIAL
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Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. Application- 185 pages, including 2 independent claims and 20 claims total.
2. Declaration and Power of Attorney.
3. Recordation Form Cover Sheet and Assignment to KONICA MINOLTA HOLDINGS, INC..
4. Certified copy of Japanese Patent Application No. 2003-029472, filed February 6, 2003.
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	Number of Claims		Basic	Extra Claims		
Total Claims	20	-	20	0	x \$18	
Independent Claims	2	-	3		x \$86	
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Applicants claim the right to priority based on Japanese Patent Application No. 2003-029472, filed February 6, 2003.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees due and any other fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or §1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

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